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for the
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RE: 1:19-CV-663 Banks v. United States of America
Chief Judge Conner

Dear Sir/Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of the document noted at the foot of this letter, subject as captioned above.

If you have simultaneously filed the proper application to proceed *in forma pauperis*, the matter has been forwarded to the court for consideration. If you have not filed the proper application to proceed *in forma pauperis*, an Administrative Order will be issued to you directing you to do so, together with the forms. Upon receipt of the **COMPLETED** and **SIGNED** forms, your case will then be forwarded to the Court for consideration

Pro Se plaintiffs and petitioners are advised that they have an affirmative obligation to keep the court informed of his or her current address. If the plaintiff/petitioner changes his or her address while the lawsuit is being litigated, the plaintiff/petitioner shall immediately inform the court of the change in writing.

Very truly yours,

PETER J. WELSH, Acting Clerk of Court

By: PJR
Deputy Clerk

☒ Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus

☐ Complaint

☐ Transfer From Other District

☐ Other

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the
Middle District of Pennsylvania

_____)	
<i>Plaintiff</i>)	
v.)	Civil Action No.
_____)	
<i>Defendant</i>)	

NOTICE, CONSENT, AND REFERENCE OF A CIVIL ACTION TO A MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Notice of a magistrate judge's availability. A United States magistrate judge of this court is available to conduct all proceedings in this civil action (including a jury or nonjury trial) and to order the entry of a final judgment. The judgment may then be appealed directly to the United States court of appeals like any other judgment of this court. A magistrate judge may exercise this authority only if all parties voluntarily consent.

You may consent to have your case referred to a magistrate judge, or you may withhold your consent without adverse substantive consequences. The name of any party withholding consent will not be revealed to any judge who may otherwise be involved with your case.

Consent to a magistrate judge's authority. The following parties consent to have a United States magistrate judge conduct all proceedings in this case including trial, the entry of final judgment, and all post-trial proceedings.

<i>Parties' printed names</i>	<i>Signatures of parties or attorneys</i>	<i>Dates</i>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Reference Order

IT IS ORDERED: This case is referred to a United States magistrate judge to conduct all proceedings and order the entry of a final judgment in accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 636(c) and Fed. R. Civ. P. 73.

Date: _____

District Judge's signature

Printed name and title

Note: Return this form to the clerk of court only if you are consenting to the exercise of jurisdiction by a United States magistrate judge. Do not return this form to a judge.